



Response under 37 C.F.R.
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Examining Group 2752

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Gerard Chauvel, et al.

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Examiner: D. Tran

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For: MULTIPLE PROCESSOR APPARATUS HAVING A PROTOCOL PROCESSOR
INTENDED FOR THE EXECUTION OF A COLLECTION OF INSTRUCTIONS IN A
REDUCED NUMBER OF OPERATIONS

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Cancel Claim 16.

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